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MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS
DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS
(Sports CDN Section)
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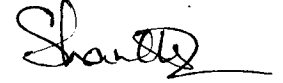
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi 110001
Dated: 21st April, 2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Monthly Report to the Cabinet Secretariat about important developments in the Department of Sports- reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer Cabinet Secretariat's OM No. 1/50/1/2017-Cab dated 4th February, 2022 on above mentioned subject and to enclose (**Annexure-I**) the Monthly Report pertaining to the Department of Sports for the month of **March, 2023** is hereby circulated for information.

2. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.



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Encl : As above.

To
All Members of Council of Ministers

Copy to:

- (i) All Secretaries to the Govt. of India's Ministries/Departments
- (ii) Director, Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi

Monthly Report for the month of March, 2023**Name of the Ministry / Department: Department of Sports****1. Important policy decisions taken and major achievements during the month:**

- a) Indian athletes had a remarkable run in various international competitions. This includes India's impressive run in the IBA Women's World Boxing Championship held in New Delhi, where Indian women pugilists (Lovlina Borgohain, Nikhat Zareen, Nitu Ghanghas and Saweety Boora) bagged 4 gold medals in different weight categories, and India was crowned the best team of the tournament. Further, Satwiksairaj Reddy and Chirag Shetty became the first-ever Indian pair to win the prestigious Swiss Open Badminton Championship. Moreover, in the ISSF Rifle/Pistol World Cup 2023 held in Bhopal, India, the hosts won 7 Medals (1 Gold, 1 Silver, 5 Bronze), finishing 2nd in the overall medal tally.
- b) With India Chairing the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO) this year, a 3-Day Sports Ministers' Meeting and the Meeting of the SCO Expert Working Group was hosted by this Ministry between 13th & 15th of March, 2023 at New Delhi, which had participation from Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russia, Uzbekistan, India, Pakistan, China and Tajikistan. The representatives of the Member States reaffirmed their commitment towards clean sports, a collaborative platform for the development of sports education and sports science.
- c) The 1st High-level Committee Meeting to review the preparation for the upcoming Asian Games 2023, Hangzhou and the Paris Olympics 2024, was held on 6th of March, 2023 under the Chairmanship of the Hon'ble Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports. The meeting saw the participation of various stakeholders from the sporting fraternity to ensure that no stone is left unturned for Team India to be on track to give its best-ever performance in these upcoming major events.
- d) Creating an enabling environment for women's participation in sports and fitness is a key objective of this Ministry. In addition to ongoing Women's Sports Leagues, and to celebrate the International Women's Day, the Khelo India "Dus Ka Dum program" was launched on 10th March 2023 by the Hon'ble Minister of Youth Affairs & Sports, wherein sporting events were organized in over 50 cities across 26 States between 10th & 31st of March, witnessing a participation of over 15,000 women athletes.
- e) The performance of India's rising sports talent deserves a special mention with Indian weightlifters bagging 14 medals in the Youth World Weightlifting Championships 2023 in Durres, Albania. Further, the Indian Junior Kabaddi Team in its maiden appearance, won the Junior Kabaddi World Championship 2023, defeating the defending champion Iran in the tournament held in Urmia, Iran.
- f) The Department of Sports has effectively utilized Rs. 1892.30 Crore, which is 99.32% of the RE allocation of Rs. 1905.19 Crore for the Financial Year 2022-23.
- g) To strengthen the value-based sports education framework and to amplify the National Anti-Doping Agency's (NADA) outreach for awareness on clean sports, a MoU was signed with the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT). NADA also organized a total of 18 Anti-Doping Education Awareness programmes across the country in this month.

- h) The 92nd and the 93rd Meetings of the Mission Olympics Cell (MOC) were held on March 02, 2023 and March 16-17, 2023, respectively, on various components of Target Olympic Podium Scheme (TOPS). Proposals worth ₹ 18,953,782/- from various athletes belonging to 10 sporting disciplines, were approved.

2. Important policy matter held up on account of prolonged inter-ministerial consultations:

Nil

3. No. of cases of 'sanction for prosecution' pending for more than three months:

Nil

4. Particulars of cases in which there has been a departure from the Transaction of Business Rules or established policy of the Government:

Nil

5. Status of ongoing Swachhta Abhiyan (progress under Special Campaign):

Following activities were conducted for the special campaign of Swachhta Abhiyan:

- a) Swachhta Campaign was organized in the office premises of NADA and NDTL with the premises including workstations, electrical and Dope kit rooms cleaned.
- b) The campus where the Lakshmbai National Institute of Physical Education (LNPIE) is located is cleaned every month under the Swachhta Abhiyan including various sports infrastructure facilities and the residential blocks.
- c) Through Swachhta drives, SAI campuses across the country are cleaned, sanitised and disinfected.

6. Status of Rationalization of Autonomous Bodies:

Does not arise in the case of D/o Sports as all the five Autonomous Bodies- SAI, LNPIE, National Sports University (NSU), NADA and NDTL have been set up for specific purposes.

7. Information on specific steps taken for utilization of the Space Technology based tools and applications in Governance and Development:

The geo-tagging of sporting infrastructure across the country is under consideration.

8. Vacancy position of senior level appointments in the Ministry/Department, including Autonomous Bodies/PSUs:

- a) There's no vacancy of senior level in Department of Sports (as on 31.03.2023).
- b) Vacancy position of senior posts in NDTL is as per Annexure-II.

- c) Vacancy position of senior posts in NADA is as per Annexure-III.
- d) Vacancy position of senior posts in SAI is as per Annexure-IV.
- e) Vacancy position of senior posts in LNIPE is as per Annexure-V.
- f) There is only one vacancy in NSU i.e. One Associate Professor (as on 31.03.2023).

9. List of cases in which ACC directions have not been complied with:

Nil

10. Details of FDI proposals cleared during the month and status of FDI proposals awaiting approval in the Ministry / Department:

Nil

Annexure-II

Vacancy position of senior level appointments in National Dope Testing Laboratory (NDTL) as on 31.03.2023:

S. No.	Nomenclature of Post	Pay Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7th CPC	Sanctioned Strength (Posts)	Filled Up Posts	Vacant Posts
1.	Director (Scientist F)	13A	01	01	00
2.	Scientist E	13	01	00	01
3.	Scientist D	12	02	01	01
4.	Scientist C	11	05	05	00
5.	Deputy Director	11	01	01	00
6.	Scientist B	10	06	05	01
7.	Senior Technical Officer	10	02	01	01
8.	Senior Technical Officer (IT)	10	01	00	01
9.	Finance Officer	10	01	00	01

Annexure-III**Vacancy position of senior level appointments in National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA)
as on 31.03.2023:**

S. No.	Nomenclature of Post	Pay Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7th CPC	Sanctioned Strength (Posts)	Filled Up Posts	Vacant Posts
1.	CEO and DG, NADA	14	01	01	00
2.	Scientific Director	13	01	00	01
3.	Senior Project Officer	12	01	00	01
4.	Senior Scientific Officer	12	01	00	01
5.	Project Officer	11	01	01	00

Annexure-IV

Vacancy position of senior level appointments in Sports Authority of India (SAI) as on 31.03.2023:

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	Pay Scale	New Sanctioned Strength	Present Strength	Vacancy
1	DG	Level-15	01	01	00
2	Secretary	Level-14	01	01	00
3	Principal(LNCPE)	Level-14	01	01	00
4	DDG/ Sr ED	Level-14	04	04	00
5	Executive Director	Level-13A	07	03	04
6	High Performance Coach	Level-13	50	12	27*
7	Dean (SS/ Academics)	Level-13	02	01	01
8	CVO	Level-12	01	01	00

*Only 39 posts can be filled as per recruitment plan to achieve the financial neutrality

Vacancy position of senior level appointments in Laxmibai National Institute of Physical Education (LNIPE) as on 31.03.2023:**LNIPE, Gwalior:**

S. No.	Name of the Post	Sanctioned Strength	Filled Up Posts	Vacant Posts
1	Vice Chancellor	01	00	01
2	Registrar	01	00	01
3	Finance Officer	01	00	01
4	Professor	05	02	03
5	Associate Professor	04	02	02
6	Assistant Professor	45	30	15
7	Librarian	01	00	01
8	Deputy Registrar	04	02	02
9	Assistant Registrar	04	00	04

LNIPE (North East Regional Centre), Guwahati:

S. No.	Name of the Post	Sanctioned Strength	Filled Up Posts	Vacant Posts
1	Professor	01	00	01
2	Associate Professor	01	01	00
3	Assistant Professor	11	09	02
4	Assistant Registrar	01	01	00